

# MASSACHUSETTS CREATIVE ECONOMY COUNCIL

April 2015 Council Meeting

**Time:** 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

**Date:** Wednesday, April 8, 2015

**Location:** Becker College, Weller Academic Center

61 Sever St., Worcester

Hosted by Becker College

Call-in Number: 646-307-1300    Code: 2756202

## Meeting Agenda

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| 1. <b>Welcome &amp; Brief Introductory Remarks, Approval of Minutes</b>   | 2:00 – 2:10 p.m. |
| 2. <b>Introduction of Council &amp; Network Members</b>   | 2:10- 2:20 p.m.  |
| 3. <b>Brief History on the Council &amp; Network</b>  | 2:20- 2:30 p.m.  |
| 4. <b>Remarks from Secretary Ash and others from Administration</b>   | 2:30- 2:40 p.m.  |
| 5. <b>Brief Updates on Industry Initiatives</b>   | 2:40 – 2:45 p.m. |
| 6. <b>Discussion: Creative Economy 2015 (w/ Secretary Ash)</b>  | 2:45 – 3:00 p.m. |
| 7. <b>Presentation: Creative Economy at College</b><br>Presentation by Steve Immerman, Monserrat College of Art | 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. |
| 8. <b>Brief Legislative Updates</b>   | 3:30 – 3:35 p.m. |
| 9. <b>Discussion/Q&amp;A</b>  | 3:35 – 3:55 p.m. |
| 10. <b>Closing Remarks</b>  | 3:55 – 4:00 p.m. |

## About the Council

The Creative Economy Council is an advisory Council to the Legislature and the Executive Office of Housing and Economic Development which was called to action by a law signed by Governor Patrick on October, 8<sup>th</sup> 2008. Its legislated purpose is to develop a statewide strategy for the enhancement, encouragement, and growth of the creative economy in Massachusetts, and to promoting through public and private means responsive public policies and innovative private sector practices.